

# Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application

## 特許出願宣言書及び委任状

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International Application Number  
09/233,451 and was amended on  
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(Supply similar information and signature for third and subsequent joint inventors.)

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### Supplemental Priority Data Sheet

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H10-70908	Japan
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H10-112552	Japan
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## Assignment

Whereas, I, Toru SAWAGUCHI of c/o OMACHI Works, SHOWA DENKO, K.K., 6850, Oaza Omachi, Omachi-shi, Nagano 398-0002 JAPAN, hereinafter called assignor, has invented along with Hiroshi KONUMA, Koro SHIRANE, Ryuji MONDEN, Atsushi SAKAI, Yuji FURUTA, Katsuhiko YAMAZAKI, Hideko OHATA and Yoshiaki IKENOUE, certain improvements in SOLID ELECTROLYTIC CAPACITOR AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME for which an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America has been filed, U.S. Ser. No. 09/233,541, filed January 20, 1999; and

Whereas, SHOWA DENKO K.K., 13-9, Shiba Daimon 1-chome, Minato-ku, Tokyo 105-8518 Japan (assignee), desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

I, the above named assignor, hereby sells, assigns and transfers to the above named assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in the application and the invention disclosed therein for the United States of America, including the right to claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119, and I request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted upon the invention set forth in the application to the assignee, its successors and assigns; and I will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by the assignee in connection with the United States application when called upon to do so by the assignee.

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Now therefore, for valuable consideration, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,  
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U.S.C. §119, and I/we request the Commissioner of Patents to issue any Letters Patent granted  
upon the invention set forth in the application to the assignee, its successors and assigns; and I/we  
will execute without further consideration all papers deemed necessary by the assignee in  
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